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TAGS:
SUBJ: ITALIAN EMBOFF REPORT OF EPLF MISSION TO CUBA

REF: HAVANNA 1015

1. INALIAN EMBOFF APRIL 28 TOLD POLOFF IS STRICT CONFIDENCE
THAT CUBANS DENIED THEY EVER TOLD ITALIAN AMBASSADOR TO
DAMASCUS GIACOMELLI THAT EPLF WOULD SEND DELEGATION TO CUBA.
GIACOMELLI APPARENTLY MISINTERPRETED SOMETHING CUBAN
AMBASSADOR SAID AND INITIATED REPORT CITED REFTEL.

2. ITALIAN EMBOFF CHECKED WITH EPLF REP DAMASCUS WHO
CATEGORICALLY DENIED INTENTIONS TO SEND EPLF DELEGATION GO
HAVANNA. EPLF MAINTAINS INDIRECT CONTACT WITH CUBANS THROUGH
ALGERIAN GOOD OFFICES BUT HAS NO DIRECT CONTACT.

3. GIACOMELLI'S ERROR HAS CAUSED HIM CONSIDERABLE
EMBARRASSMENT IN ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY AND ITALIAN
EMBOFF ASKED THAT WE NOT ADD TO THIS EMBARRASSMENT BY
INDICATING OUR KNOWLEDGE OF INCIDENT.

DEPARTMENT MAY WANT TO PASS TO USINT HAVANNA.
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